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B.S. University of Wisconsin – Stout

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Ph.D. Capella University

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DIP Jackson Area Vo-Tech
DIP Southwest Technical College
DIP Riverside Technical College

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Ed.S. Nova Southeast Univ, Florida
Ed.D. University of Wyoming

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M.S. Metropolitan State University

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Faculty - Unlimited

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Theatre

B.S.ed University of Nevada - Reno
M.A. San Diego State University

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Criminal Justice

B.S. Kent State University
M.S.ed Kent State University
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Communication

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B.A. St. Cloud State University
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ESOL

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Information & Telecommunication

A.A.S. St Cloud Technical College
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License: Administrative Services

Bani, Zakaria

Computer Science

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Philosophy

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Biology

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Ph.D. University of Minnesota

Bellis, Karen

Radiologic Technology

Cert. University of Minnesota Hospitals

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License: Radiologic Technology

Blackburn, David

Chemistry

B.A. Carleton College

Ph.D. University of Minnesota

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Medical Assisting

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CMA (AAMA)

License: Medical Assisting/Office Component

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Cert. Planned Parenthood

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Art

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M.F.A. San Francisco Art Institute

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EMS/Paramedic

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Nationally Registered Emergency Medical Technician-Paramedic

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History

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Psychology

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M.A. University of St. Thomas

Psy.D. University of St. Thomas

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Mathematics

B.S. Metro State College, Denver, CO

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M.P.H. American Military University

Certificate University of Minnesota

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Ed.D. St Cloud State University

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BA Metro State

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Registered: Dental Hygienist

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Costa, Thomas*Cosmetology*

License: Cosmetology

A.A. Century College

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M.A. Southwest Minnesota State University

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B.A. University of Ibadan, Nigeria

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Ph.D. University of Ibadan, Nigeria

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M.A. University of Michigan

Ph.D. University of Michigan

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B.S. University of Minnesota Moorhead

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Advanced Diploma: The Polytechnic Ibadan

Post Graduate Diploma: Federal University of Technology

B.S.C. Federal University of Technology

Certificate: Microsoft

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Sociology

B.A. Wesleyan University

M.S. Virginia Polytechnic Institute
& State University

Ph.D. University of Minnesota

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English

B.A. University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

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Mathematics

Diploma Hennepin Technical College

Diploma St. Paul College

B.S. Winona State University

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License: Paramedic Nationally Registered Paramedic

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B.S. University of St. Mary

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M.A. St. Mary's University

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B.S. University of Iowa

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B.S.N. St Catherine University

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B.A. University of Minnesota

B.A.A. University of Minnesota

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B.S. University of Virginia

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B.S.N. Metropolitan State University

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Certificate: Public Health Nursing

Certificate: Advanced Holistic Nursing

Certificate: Certified Nurse Educator

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B.S. University of Wisconsin-Superior

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B.A. University of California, Los Angeles

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B.S. Florida Institute of Technology

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B.S. University of North Dakota

M.S. University of North Dakota

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B.S. University of Wisconsin- Eau Claire

Ph.D. University of Minnesota

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A.A. North Hennepin Community College
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B.A. Hamline University
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B.S. Devi Ahilya University, India
M.S. St. Cloud State University

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B.S. Minnesota State University-Mankato

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Cert. Prosthetic Practitioner – Century College
Cert. Prosthetic Technician – Century College
Cert. Orthotic Practitioner – Century College
B.S. Crown College

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License: Heating, Air Conditioning & Refrigeration

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B.A. Gustavus Adolphus College
Ph.D. New Mexico State University

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B.S. University of Wisconsin – Eau Claire
M.S. University of Wisconsin – River Falls
Ph.D. Iowa State University

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B.A. University of Louisville

M.S. University of Cincinnati

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B.A. Cleveland State University

M.F.A. Tyler School of Art

License: Graphic Arts

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A.A. Willmar Community College

B.S. St. Cloud State University

M.S. St. Cloud State University

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B.S. Mankato State University

Certificate: Architectural Drafting Technician

Certified: Association of Interior Design

Certified: Kitchen Designer

Certified: National Council for Interior
Design Qualification

License: Interior Design

Kruszka, Edward*Mathematics*

B.A. Saint Xavier College

M.S. Northeastern Illinois University

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A.S. Normandale Community College

B.S. Metro State

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Kupfer, Julie*Dental Assisting*

Certified: Dental Assistant

Licensed: Dental Assistant

B.A. Metro State

M.A. Southwest Minnesota State University

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B.A. University of Wisconsin

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D.I.P. 916 Vo-Tech

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B.S. University of Minnesota

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Biology

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English

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English

B.A. Wayne State University

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Ph.D. Michigan State University

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Office Technology

B.S. Bemidji State University

M.S. Mankato State University

License: Administrative Support

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Radiologic Technology

Diploma: Radiologic Technology

B.A. Metropolitan State University

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Chemistry

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Geography

B.A. University of Minnesota

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Library

B.A. Carleton College

M.L.S. University of Michigan

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Sociology

B.A. College of Saint Catherine

M.A. University of Minnesota

Ph.D. University of Minnesota

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English

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M.F.A. Hamline University

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Auto Mechanics

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A.A.S. Century College

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B.A. Grinnell College
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B.A. University of Minnesota
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B.S. University of North Texas
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License: Prosthetics Practitioner

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B.A. University of Utah
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Ph.D. Ohio University

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B.A. University of Wisconsin, Madison
M.A. New School for Social Research
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B.A. Hebrew University
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CHPN Certified Hospice and Palliative Care Nurse
CNE Certified Nurse Educator

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MA University of St Thomas
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J.D. William Mitchell College of Law

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B.S. Illinois State University

M.S. Illinois State University

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B.S. University of Wisconsin

M.S. University of Wisconsin

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B.S. California Polytechnic State University

M.S. University of Oregon

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Certificate: Advanced Literary

Rodriguez, Sarah*Interior Design*

B.S. University of Wisconsin

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B.S. University of Wisconsin

M.S. Marquette University

Rynders, Beth*Dental Assisting*

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Certified: Industrial Relations

Certified: Expanded Functions in Dental Assisting Program

Certificate: Dental Assistant

Licensed: Dental Assistant

Restorative Functions Dental Assistant

Saks, Dawn*Art*

B.F.A. Colorado State University

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B.S. University of the West Indies, Barbados

M.Phil. University of the West Indies, Barbados

M.S. University of the Minnesota

Ph.D. University of the Minnesota

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B.A. South Dakota State University

M.A. South Dakota State University

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M.Ed. University of Minnesota
M.Ed. University of Wisconsin
License: Quality Control Technician

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B.A. Macalester College
M.Ed. University of Minnesota

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B.A. Bucknell University
M.A. University of Illinois

Smaagaard, Lynn*Marketing*

B.S. University of Minnesota
M.S. Bemidji State University

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B.A. University of Washington
M.A. University of Washington
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B.A. University of St Thomas
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Smith, Patricia*Philosophy*

B.G.S.U. University of Nebraska
M.A. University of Nebraska
Ph.D. University of Nebraska

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MA – Dominican University
BA – University of Wisconsin-Madison

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Nursing

B.S.N. Viterbo College

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Nursing (RN)

A.D.N. Northeast Iowa Community College

B.S.N. Upper Iowa University

M.S.N. Drake University

Theisen, Paul

Computer Support Technology/Technician

MA Champlain College

BA Metropolitan State University

AA Century College

AA North Hennepin Community College

Cert Champlain College

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Biology

B.S. St. Cloud State University

M.S. Portland State University

Certificate: Secondary Teaching

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Biology

B.S. University of Michigan

Ph.D. University of Michigan

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Automotive Services Technology

Cert. Century College

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Business

B.A. University of Minnesota – Carlson School Mgmt

M.A. University of Wisconsin – Madison

Voss, Catherine

Orthotics

Certificate: 916 Vo-Tech

A.A.S. Anoka-Ramsey Community College

B.A. Metropolitan State University

Wacker, Janet

Counseling

B.A. University of North Dakota

B.S. University of Mary

M.S. Minnesota State University-Mankato

License: Technical College Counselor

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Prosthetics

Diploma: Century College

A.A.S. Century College

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Communication

B.A. University of Delaware

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B.S. University of Wisconsin
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M.A. University of Minnesota

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B.S. St. Cloud State University
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B.S. St. Catherine University
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B.S. University of Wisconsin – Stout
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